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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.**

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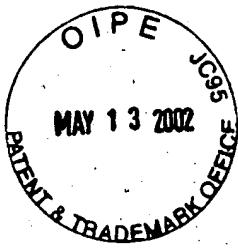
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Re: U.S. Patent Application 10/076,948 for "THOROUGH OPERATION RESTRICTION"; (from PPA 60/268,522 Filed: February 14, 2001); Filed: February 14, 2002; Inventor: John M. Haltmeyer.

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BUSINESS Dear Sir:
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Transmitted herewith for filing are the missing parts of the application as stated in the enclosed copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts dated March 13, 2002. Enclosed are:

1. Copy of PTO Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed March 13, 2002.
2. One (1) Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by the inventor.
3. Our check No. 3116 in the amount of \$435.00 (to cover the basic filing fee, the surcharge for late filing).
4. Our post card. Please date stamp and return.

Please charge any unanticipated fees to our Deposit Account No. 03-3565 (a duplicate copy of this charge authorization is attached.)

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

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